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SUBJ 55TH ECOSOC: AGENDA ITEM 4-REVIEW AND APPRAISAL:

DRAFT RESOLUTION

1. FOLLOWING TEXT OF DRAFT RESOLUTION ON REVIEW AND APPRAISAL
PROPOSED BY SWEDEN INCORPORATES FROM DUTCH DRAFT (SEC C) WITH BOTH
BORROWING WATERED VERSIONS OF US DRAFT PROPOSED R&A MEETING NY.
APPRECIATE COMMENT SOONEST. DRAW ATTENTION TO SEC C ITEMS C,
D, AND E.
QUOTE. THE ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL COUNCIL,
MINDFUL OF ITS OBLIGATIONS TO PREPARE FOR THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY AN
OVER-ALL APPRAISAL OF THE PROGRESS IN IMPLEMENTING THE INTER-
NATIONAL DEVELOPMENT STRATEGY FOR THE SECOND UNITED NATIONS DEVEL-
OPMENT DECADE, IN ACCORDANCE WITH PROVISIONS CONTAINED IN PARA-
GRAPH 83 OF THE STRATEGY;
HAVING UNDERTAKEN A FIRST SUCH OVER-ALL REVIEW AND APPRAISAL BASED
ON THE REPORT ON THE SECOND SESSION OF THE COMMITTEE ON REVIEW AND
AND APPRAISAL AND THE WORKING PAPER CONTAINED THEREIN AS WELL AS
OTHER UNITED NATIONS REPORTS ON REVIEW AND APPRAISAL INCLUDING THE
REPORT OF THE SECRETARY-GENERAL ON THE FIRST OVER-ALL REVIEW AND
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APPRAISAL OF ISSUES AND POLICIES (E/5268);

TAKING NOTE WITH APPRECIATION OF THE REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE FOR
DEVELOPMENT PLANNING ON ITS NINTH SESSION AND THE NEW PRIORITY
CONCERNS SIGNIFIED IN THAT REPORT TO INCLUDE SOCIAL DEVELOPMENT,

INCOME DISTRIBUTION, THE COMBATTING OF MASS POVERTY, UNEMPLOYMENT, MALNUTRITION AND ENVIRONMENTAL PROBLEMS;
ALSO TAKING NOTE WITH APPRECIATION OF THE SECRETARY-GENERAL'S REPORT ON THE PROBLEM OF MASS POVERTY AND UNEMPLOYMENT IN DEVELOPING COUNTRIES (E/5343) AND THE SPECIAL REPORT PREPARED BY THE ADMINISTRATIVE COMMITTEE ON COORDINATION ON EMPLOYMENT POLICY IN THE SECOND UNITED NATIONS DEVELOPMENT DECADE (E/5289, PART II);
VOICING ITS DEEP CONCERN WITH THE LACK OF SUFFICIENT PROGRESS IN GROWTH AND DEVELOPMENT OF DEVELOPING COUNTRIES DURING THE FIRST YEARS OF THE SECOND UNITED NATIONS DEVELOPMENT DECADE, NOT LEAST IN THE FIELD OF AGRICULTURE;
DRAWING PARTICULAR ATTENTION TO THE TARGETS SET IN THE IDS FOR NOT FINANCIAL TRANSFERS FROM ECONOMICALLY ADVANCED TO DEVELOPING COUNTRIES AND TO MEASURES TO BE TAKEN IN THE FIELDS OF TRADE AND MONETARY REFORM TO ASSIST IN PROMOTING ACCELERATED PROGRESS IN THE DEVELOPING COUNTRIES;
CONSIDERING THAT, SINCE THE ADOPTION OF THE STRATEGY, NEW ISSUES, CONCEPTS AND DEVELOPMENTS HAVE EMERGED WHICH URGENTLY REQUIRE FURTHER STUDY,
CONSIDERING IN PARTICULAR THAT FROM THE FIRST REVIEW AND APPRAISAL IT MUST BE CONCLUDED THAT MANY OF THE TARGETS SET IN THE STRATEGY HAVE NOT BEEN ACHIEVED AND THAT, AS A CONSEQUENCE, EFFORTS IN THE SECOND HALF OF THE DECADE WILL HAVE TO YIELD RESULTS IN EXCESS OF THE PRESENT TARGETS IN ORDER TO ACHIEVE BY THE END OF THE DECADE-ON THE AVERAGE-THE ORIGINAL QUANTITATIVE OBJECTIVES.
CONCERNED THAT THE FORTHCOMING MIDTERM REVIEW AND APPRAISAL TO BE CARRIED OUT IN 1975 SHOULD BE PREPARED IN SUCH A WAY, AS TO ENABLE THE COUNCIL AND THE ASSEMBLY TO ENSURE ITS CHARACTER AS A MAJOR EVENT IN THE PROCESS OF IMPLEMENTING THE IDS;

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1. ADOPTS BY CONSENSUS, AS A RESULT OF ITS FIRST OVER-ALL REVIEW AND APPRAISAL OF PERFORMANCES DURING THE SECOND UNITED NATIONS DEVELOPMENT DECADE, THE DOCUMENT ATTACHED AS ANNEX TO THIS RESOLUTION AND TRANSMITS IT TO THE 28TH SESSION OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY FOR ITS CONSIDERATION;

2. RECOMMENDS THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY, AT ITS 28TH SESSION TO CON-

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SIDER IT

(A) IN THE LIGHT OF THE STATISTICAL LIMITATIONS UNDER WHICH THE VARIOUS BODIES OF THE UNITED NATIONS SYSTEM HAVE HAD TO UNDERTAKE THE PREPARATIONS FOR THE FIRST OVER-ALL REVIEW AND APPRAISAL;
(B) TAKING INTO ACCOUNT THE FACT THAT NEGOTIATIONS ARE ONGOING IN THE MONETARY AND TRADE FIELDS AS WELL AS THAT WORK HAS JUST BEING STARTED BY THE STUDY GROUP OF EMINENT PERSONS ON THE IMPACT OF MULTINATIONAL CORPORATIONS ON THE DEVELOPMENT PROCESS CREATED PURSUANT TO ECOSOC RESOLUTION 1721 (LIII);

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1. DECIDES THAT THE COMMITTEE ON REVIEW AND APPRAISAL, AS THE MAIN INTERGOVERNMENTAL BODY UNDER THE COUNCIL RESPONSIBLE FOR THE FINAL PHASE OF PREPARATIONS FOR THE MID-TERM REVIEW AND APPRAISAL

TO BE UNDERTAKEN BY THE COUNCIL IN 1975, FOR THIS PURPOSE SHALL MEET IN TWO SUBSTANTIVE SESSIONS, ONE IN 1974 AND ONE IN 1975.

2. INVITES THE COMMITTEE FOR DEVELOPMENT PLANNING, WITHIN THE FRAMEWORK OF ITS SPECIFIC MANDATE, TO CONTINUE ITS WORK OF DEVELOPING AND REFINING THE CONCEPT AND THE CONTENT OF AN INTEGRATED SOCIO-ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT AND NEW MEASUREMENTS THEREOF;

3. REQUESTS THE SECRETARY-GENERAL TO PROVIDE THE COMMITTEE ON REVIEW AND APPRAISAL AND THE COMMITTEE FOR DEVELOPMENT PLANNING WITH THE SERVICING FACILITIES NEEDED TO ENSURE THE MOST EFFECTIVE AND EXPEDITIOUS ARRANGEMENTS FOR THE MID-TERM REVIEW.

C

REQUESTS THE SECRETARY-GENERAL, IN CONSULTATION WITH THE COMMITTEE FOR DEVELOPMENT PLANNING, THE REGIONAL ECONOMIC COMMISSIONS AND THE ORGANIZATIONS OF THE UNITED NATIONS SYSTEM CONCERNED AND, AS APPROPRIATE, WITH OTHER COMPETENT INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATIONS, IN TIME FOR THE MID-TERM REVIEW AND APPRAISAL, TO ARRANGE FOR OR TO PURSUE STUDIES ON THE FOLLOWING SUBJECTS:

(A) AN INDICATIVE CALCULATION OF SUPPLEMENTARY QUANTITATIVE TARGETS FOR THE SECOND HALF OF THE DECADE WHICH WOULD BE REQUIRED IN ORDER TO ACHIEVE BY THE END OF THE DECADE-ON THE AVERAGE-THE ORIGINAL QUANTITATIVE OBJECTIVES, SET IN THE STRATEGY, TOGETHER WITH AN ANALYSIS OF RELEVANT COUNTRY DATA IN VARIOUS SOCIAL AND ECONOMIC FIELDS WITH A VIEW TO DEVELOPING APPROPRIATE SUB-TARGETS FOR THE GROWTH AND DEVELOPMENT OF GROUPS OF LESS DEVELOPED COUNTRIES SO THAT THE EFFICIENCY OF THE INTERNATIONAL DEVELOPMENT EFFORTS AND COOPERATION WILL BE ENHANCED;

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(B) THE FEASIBILITY OF COLLECTING DATA AND DEFINING THE CONCEPTS OF NET BENEFICIAL PRODUCT AND POVERTY DATUM LINE AS INDICATORS OF SOCIAL WELL-BEING, BEARING IN MIND THE DEVELOPMENT NEEDS OF DEVELOPING COUNTRIES;

(C) THE IMPLICATIONS OF THE STRUCTURAL CHANGES IN THE ECONOMIES OF DEVELOPED COUNTRIES FOR THE SECOND UNITED NATIONS DEVELOPMENT DECADE AND IN PARTICULAR TRENDS IN INTERNATIONAL TRADE CONNECTED WITH STRUCTURAL TRENDS IN THE DEVELOPED WORLD, PROBLEMS OF TRANSFER OF TECHNOLOGY, SECTORAL LONG-TERM PROJECTIONS AND EXPECTED DEMAND FOR ENERGY AND VARIOUS COMMODITIES;

(D) THE LONG-TERM EFFECT OF STRUCTURAL CHANGES IN THE WORLD COMMODITY MARKETS IN PARTICULAR IN ESSENTIAL FOOD PRODUCTS, AND OF THE EXPECTED WORLD SHORTAGES OF CERTAIN MATERIAL RESOURCES;

(E) A QUANTITATIVE ANALYSIS OF THE ECONOMIC CONSEQUENCES OF FULFILLING THE 0.7PERCENT AID TARGET FOR THE DEVELOPED COUNTRIES.

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REQUESTS THE SECRETARY-GENERAL, IN CONSULTATION, IN PARTICULAR WITH UNDP AND THE REGIONAL ECONOMIC COMMISSIONS AND UNESOB, TO CONTINUE TO TAKE ALL POSSIBLE STEPS TO INCREASE ASSISTANCE TO DEVELOPING COUNTRIES, UPON THEIR REQUEST, FOR STRENGTHENING THEIR PLANNING AND EVALUATION MACHINERY AND PROCEDURES WITH PARTICULAR EMPHASIS ON THE MID-TERM REVIEW AND APPRAISAL. UNQUOTE.BASSIN

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